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E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJECT: SEC REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

REF: STATE 136525, PANAMA 4334

1. A COMPANY NAMED WORLD WIDE MARKETING, INC. WAS ESTABLISHED IN COSTA RICA IN 1975 WITH A CAPITAL OF 10,000 COLONES (APPROXIMATELY 1,171 DOLLARS) WHOLLY OWNED BY GUILLERMO GUNDAKER WHO ALSO SERVED AS PRESIDENT OF THE COMPANY. GUNDAKER, A CUBAN-BORN U.S. CITIZEN AND A RESPECTED MEMBER OF THE LOCAL BUSINESS COMMUNITY, SERVED AS PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF COSTA RICA IN 1975. HIS ASSOCIATE IN WORLD WIDE MARKETING WAS MR. ELOY VIDAL, A RETIRED VICE-PRESIDENT FOR GULF OIL COMPANY. A WTDR ON THE COMPANY IS CONTAINED IN 76 SAN JOSE 5392. THE COMPANY BECAME INACTIVE IN NOVEMBER 1976 AND SHORTLY THEREAFTER MR. GUNDAKER MOVED TO THE UNITED STATES WHERE HE NOW RESIDES AT 1520 S.W. 78TH AVENUE, MIAMI, FLORIDA, TEL. (305) 264-8404.

2. THE EMBASSY HAS ABSOLUTELY NO REASON TO BELIEVE THAT MR. GUNDAKER OR HIS COMPANY ARE IN ANY WAY CONNECTED WITH VESCO, OR THE COMPANY BY THE SAME NAME IN THE BAHAMAS.

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